

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
)
 v.) Criminal No. 00-184
)
ROXANNE RICK)

MOTION TO POSTPONE STATUS CONFERENCE

AND NOW, comes the United States of America, by and through, Mary Beth Buchanan, United States Attorney for the Western District of Pennsylvania, and Margaret E. Picking, Assistant United States Attorney for said district, and respectfully submits this motion for postponement of status conference, based upon the following:

1. The above-referenced Defendant, Roxanne Rick, is currently scheduled for a status conference before this Honorable Court at 8:00 a.m. on March 3, 2006, based on a Section 2255 Petition.

2. The undersigned attorney for the government is scheduled to attend a pre-paid government conference in Washington, D.C. from February 27, 2006 through March 3, 2006. The attorney for the government is available for this conference at any time up until Monday, February 27, 2006, when she is scheduled to depart for the conference.

3. Counsel for the Defendant, Lisa B. Freeland, Esquire, has indicated that she does not oppose postponement of the status conference, currently scheduled for March 3, 2006; however, due to scheduling conflicts she has requested that it be held March 13, 2006, or later.

WHEREFORE, the government respectfully requests that the Status Conference scheduled for March 3, 2006 not be conducted the week of February 27, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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